

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Persevere in killing the rats.
Go ahead with that garbage crematory.
"Hector" at the Orpheum to-night.
The Sons of St. George meet this evening.
The Australia sails at 1 o'clock to-morrow.
The Council of State meets this afternoon.
The Niihau reports no cases of plague at Kahului for six days.
"The End of it all" by Allan Dunn will be presented at the Orpheum to-night.
Captain Hemming of the Miowera declined to take passengers from this port.
All Shirt Waists at only 35c. each, regular price \$1 to \$2.50. Sachs Dry Goods Co.

McCandless Brothers have struck a good supply of water at Kalihi at 620 feet.
Honolulu Messenger Service deliver messages and packages. Telephone 378.

Jurors are not required to attend the sessions of the Circuit Court this week.
Cleanse the harbor and destroy that foul stench before the South wind comes.

Bargains in all departments at L. B. Kerr's this week, be sure and call and examine them.

The Abbia M. defeated the Anna in yesterday's yacht race, the latter touched the reef but was not much damaged.

Don't fail to ring up Telephone 444, American Messenger Service, if you have any messages or packages to deliver.

A nol. pros. was entered in the District Court in the case of McShane charged with selling a glass of beer to a woman.

Seven hundred and twenty Japanese and 21 Chinese arrived last month and 145 Japanese departed, 134 foreigners and 111 departed.

Mr. A. P. Taylor, of the Advertiser's local staff met with a serious accident yesterday afternoon through his bicycle colliding with a carriage.

McGuire's Express Co. will be found from now on at the office opposite P. D. Camarinos' California Fruit Market, King street, near Ala-ka. Telephone 387.

R. C. Searle writes to the Advertiser that in November last a large number of rats died at Honolulu ranch, Lahaina, Maui, after the receipt of freight by the Claudine.

When the Niihau left Maui the Brvant, at Kahului, had received 2,500 bags of sugar. There were 10,000 bags of sugar at Pioneer Mill to go to the Planter, due there.

The steamer Lehua, arriving yesterday, brought 2,159 sacks sugar and 25 head cattle. She got in about 5 o'clock and went to the cattle pen immediately to land the deckload.

Eighteen hundred and sixty four Hawaiians, Japanese and Chinese were discharged from the Kalihi detention camp yesterday. Some eight hundred were homeless and returned to the camp in the evening for shelter.

The whaling bark Andrew Hicks was spoken by the pilot yesterday, Captain Shorey, well known here, is in command. When he heard of the quarantine he concluded to keep away instead of coming to anchor, as he at first intended.

The men in the employ of the Oahu R. R. Co., who worked as firemen in the yard of the company during the Aala fire were recipients of substantial tokens of thanks from the Chinese Lumber men whose premises they saved.

The barks Saminole, East African and Berwickshire, all coal laden from Newcastle, the barkentine Amelia, with lumber from Port Blakeley, and the five-masted schooner Louis from the Marquesas, with nine, were among the arrivals Saturday and yesterday.

A memorial service was held yesterday afternoon at the Christian Church over the ashes of Mrs. Geo. E. Boardman, who recently fell a victim to the plague. The Rev. J. C. Hay officiated at the solemn occasion and Messrs. J. M. Oat, Austin Whiting, J. A. Hassenger and C. M. White acted as pall bearers.

Born.

Thorne.—At Puunui, Honolulu, on February 18, 1900, to the wife of W. H. Thorne, a daughter.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

It is to be hoped that when the court of claims is established that mercy will be shown to the claimants by their advocates.

The authorities should remove the oranges from Nuuanu street before the small boys get at them. It is in the control of small details that principles are conducted to a satisfactory result.

If rat poison is to be used in exterminating the plague-bringing rodents who will not eat the official rat pomade we suggest that the poison be placed on fruits and not on meat, fish or other similar stuff which dogs and cats will eat. The animals referred to will not go for fruits while the rats rather like a poisoned banana, mango or apple. We mean of course when the toothsome concoction of the Board of Health is not around.

The Irish-American says: More trouble with Hawaii. That addition to the United States, with its mixed population of Chinese, Japanese, Kanakas, white men of various nationalities, and other races unclassified, is desirous of admission to the Union as a territory, with future right of Statehood, and not a colony with a government such as it suspects will be given to the other islands under our flag. This prediction was made when Hawaii was annexed. The difficulties involved in that action will become more apparent as time goes on; but, meanwhile, what will the Administration do with Hawaii?

We predicted that President McKinley would not be over anxious to help Mr. Dole in assuming the responsibility of the damages done by fire to property in Honolulu by the action of the self appointed Citizens' Sanitary Committee. If Mr. Dole can read between the lines in the cablegram sent to him by the Washington government he must realize that Mr. McKinley washes his hands of our "plague" and simply says, "go ahead Sandy, old boy, appoint all the courts of claims you want, and pay the claims out of the funds of the Hawaiian treasury, and according to the provisions of Hawaiian laws." That is the answer that Mr. Dole did not expect from his great and good friend at Washington.

Several cases of typhoid fever have been reported from the vessels in the "naval" row. The stench in the harbor is awful and we think the Board of Health might use some of the idle hands in cleaning up the "reef." No seaweed has been gathered for a long period and it is growing to such a length that crabs and small fishes are caught in the leaves and left there to rot and breed an atmosphere fraught with typhoid and malarial germs. A thorough investigation in regard to the dumping into the sea of the refuse of the town should also be held at once. It is probable that the deposits from the excavators are floated back by the in going tide. An epidemic of typhoid fever may prove more disastrous to the community than even the plague.

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The King street bridge is now open for traffic.

The Miowera sailed for the Colonies yesterday.

20c. and 25c. Dress Goods, now 5c per yard at Sachs.

Belts that were 75c. and \$1 each, now 15c. at Sachs.

A nicely furnished room to let at No. 9 Garden Lane.

The band plays at the Executive building this evening.

Drop into the Orpheum to-night and spend a pleasant evening.

The total number of the plague cases up to date is 59 with 50 deaths.

A number sailors and others were fined the usual amount in the District Court this morning for being drunk.

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The Hawaiian Soda Works has removed its place of business. Read the notice in this issue.

The session of the Circuit Court was opened this morning by Judge Perry, who appeared in the place of Judge Stanley, the presiding judge, who is unwell, and the Court was adjourned till the 26th inst.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

THE HAWAIIAN SODA WORKS has removed its place of business to Emma street, mauka of Vineyard and makai of Mrs. Freeth's where all orders from its patrons can be filled at short notice with quick despatch.

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